16393. Adulteration and misbranding of horseradish. U. S. v. 24 Cases \* \* \* (F. D. C. No. 29020. Sample No. 74681–K.)

LIBEL FILED: March 23, 1950, Eastern District of New York.

ALLEGED SHIPMENT: On or about February 20, 1950, by the Nonpareil Pickle Works, from Jersey City, N. J.

PRODUCT: 24 cases, each containing 24 6-ounce bottles, of horseradish at Brooklyn, N. Y.

LABEL, IN PART: (Bottle) "Eureka Brand Prepared Horse Radish."

NATURE OF CHARGE: Adulteration, Section 402 (b) (2), a mixture of horseradish and skim milk powder had been substituted in whole or in part for horseradish.

Misbranding, Section 403 (a), the name "Horse Radish" was false and misleading since the article consisted of a mixture of horseradish and skim milk powder; Section 403 (i) (2), the product was fabricated from two or more ingredients, and its label failed to bear the common or usual name of each such ingredient since the presence of skim milk powder was not declared; and, Section 403 (k), the product contained a chemical preservative and failed to bear labeling stating that fact.

DISPOSITION: June 7, 1950. Default decree of condemnation and destruction.

## VITAMIN, MINERAL, AND OTHER PRODUCTS OF SPECIAL DIETARY SIGNIFICANCE

16394. Adulteration and misbranding of Multivitalin Spheroids (tablets). U. S. v. Keith-Victor Pharmacal Co. Plea of guilty. Fine, \$500. (F. D. C. No. 28115. Sample No. 27735–K.)

INFORMATION FILED: January 19, 1950, Eastern District of Missouri, against the Keith-Victor Pharmacal Co., St. Louis, Mo.

ALLEGED SHIPMENT: On or about June 11, 1949, from the State of Missouri into the State of Illinois.

LABEL, IN PART: "Sugar Coated Red Multivitalin Spheroids."

NATURE OF CHARGE: Adulteration, Section 402 (b) (1), a valuable constituent, niacinamide, had been in part omitted from the article.

Misbranding, Section 403 (a), the label statement "Each Spheroid Contains:

\* \* \* MG \* \* \* Niacinamide 20.0" was false and misleading since each spheroid contained less than 20 milligrams of niacinamide.

DISPOSITION: July 14, 1950. A plea of guilty having been entered, the court imposed a fine of \$500.

16395. Adulteration and misbranding of Parkamins Sylocaps. U. S. v. 50 Bottles \* \* \* (F. D. C. No. 29081. Sample No. 80915-K.)

LIBEL FILED: April 20, 1950, Eastern District of Pennsylvania.

ALLEGED SHIPMENT: On or about March 6, 1950, by the Midwest Chemical Development Corp., Cleveland, Ohio.

PRODUCT: 50 bottles, each containing 1,000 capsules, of Parkamins Sylocaps at Philadelphia, Pa.